

One of the reasons for paying the monthly fee is to get the services that you want. With XM Radio, there are a standard set of cities that have weather and traffic updates. Every city around is not included, so I do not think that the NAB has a right to feel infringed upon. However, when listening to the AM/FM stations, you can never get the weather or traffic updates that you need, unless you want to listen to 40 commercials, then a 15 second update. I realize that the public stations use commercial funding to pay the bills, but we, as the consumer of XM radio, pay our monthly bills to have the service. If the NAB wants to get involved, give them the option of buying channels on XM Radio, so that the information that they are so concerned about getting to the public, can be presented. When someone comes up with a GREAT IDEA, JOIN IT, DON'T TRY TO KILL IT. In business, when you feel that your edge is being threatened, your suppose to step it up to stay ahead of the competition, not cry and whine about someone doing something better. I think that they are taking the wrong approach to the problem.